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APPLICANT: Chaudhari et al.

GROUP: 1625

SERIAL NO: 09/628,158

EXAMINER: Taylor V. Oh

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FOR: AN IMPROVED PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF 2-ARYL
PROPIONIC ACID

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

1. This application became abandoned on May 21, 2003.
2. This application became abandoned because the failure to prosecute was an unintentional delay. The delay in filing the required reply from the due date until the filing of this petition was unintentional 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)(3).
3. Response or action required

☐ has been filed.

☒ is attached

☐ The response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application copending with this application

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on 6/12/03 in an envelope "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number EL755683215US addressed to Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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4. Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(m))

Application Status is:

- ☐ Small business entity -- fee \$650.00
- ☐ A statement is attached
- ☐ A statement was filed
- ☒ Other than small entity -- fee \$1,300.00

5. Payment of fee

☒ Enclosed is a check for \$1,300.00 to cover the petition fee

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in fees required to Deposit Order Account No. 19-0079. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

(complete the following, if applicable)

☐ Because this petition is more than 3 months after the date the Office first notified the applicant that the application is abandoned, applicant additionally submits a showing as to how the delay between the date the applicant was first notified that the application is abandoned and the filing of this petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.134(b) was unintentional. 62 Fed. Reg. 53, 131, 53, 159 (Oct. 10, 1997).

☐ Because this petition is more than 1 year after the date of abandonment of the application, applicant additionally submits further information as to when applicant (or applicant's representative) first became aware of the abandonment of the application, and a showing as to how the delay in discovering abandoned status of the application occurred despite the exercise of due care or diligence on the part of the applicant (or applicant's representative). 62 Fed. Reg. 53, 131, 53, 159 (Oct. 10, 1997).

Applicant(s) hereby petition for the revival of the above-referenced patent application,
the abandonment of which was unintentional.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Arlene J. Powers', is written over a horizontal line.

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